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SUBJECT: RHODESIA: SMITH ON ALL-PARTIES CONFERENCE

REF: PRETORIA 4847

PRESS ACCOUNTS ON AUGUST 21 REPORT THAT SMITH GAVE A NATION-
WIDE TV ADDRESS ON AUGUST 20 IN WHICH HE EXPRESSED SOME HESITATION
ABOUT THE OUTCOME OF AN ALL-PARTIES CONFERENCE. SMITH REPORTEDLY SAID

THAT PEOPLE SHOULD AVOID BELIEVING THAT AN ALL-PARTY CONFERENCE "WOULD

SOLVE ALL OUR PROBLEMS". HE SAID THAT IF THE PARRIOTIC FRONT WERE
GOING TO INSIST THAT THE RHODESIAN SECURITY FORCES BE DISMANTLED,
THEN " I HAVE NO HESITATION IN SAYING IT WOULD BE DANGEROUS TO EVEN
ATTEND A CONFERENCE." SMITH ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT " IF WE ARE
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SATISFIED THAT GOING TO THE CONFERENCE IS GOING TO HELP US THEN
WE ARE PREPARED TO GO BUT I THINK THERE ISSOME MORE GROUND
TO BE COVERED BEFORE WE CAN COME TO THAT CONCLUSION."
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